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**MEMORANDUM FOR: Members of the Subcommittee on Exploitation of
Foreign Language Publications**

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Attached for your information is the 1 July 1955 collation of those area and subject categories not now being covered by FDD together with the Agencies who have expressed a need for such coverage as of this date.

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C O N F I D E N T I A LEASTERN EUROPE

	Manpower Needed	Required by					
		CIA	State	Army	Navy	Air	NSA
<u>BULGARIA</u>							
Requirements for exploitation of Bulgarian central and provincial newspapers and military publications for all categories of military information.	1	X	X	X	X		
Requirements for exploitation of technological information appearing in specialized industrial periodicals.	1		X				X
Requirements for fuller exploitation of economic periodicals and Bulgarian Communist party organs.	1	X	X				X
Requirements for research in depth in support of NIS studies and specific economic projects, which involve searches through back issues of pertinent publications.	1		X				
Organizational studies on ministries, and other organs of government	1	X	X				
<u>CZECHOSLOVAKIA</u>							

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Requirements for research in depth in support of NIS studies or specific projects constantly in progress in components of the IAC, which involve exploitation of back issues of pertinent publications accessioned in CIA and departmental libraries.	2 1/2		I				

Organizational studies on ministries, etc.	1	I	I				
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HUNGARY

Requirements for more complete exploitation of Hungarian economic and specialized industrial periodicals.	1		I				I
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Requirements for research in depth in support of NIS studies, or specific projects in progress within the intelligence community.	1		I				
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POLAND

Requirements for exploitation of Polish central and provincial newspapers and military publications for all categories of military information.	2	I	I	I	I		
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Requirements for coverage of technical and specialized industrial publications, particularly those concerned with transportation, communications, fuels and power, and geographic research.	2		I		I		I
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Requirements for the collections of graphics items, particularly those of industrial or scientific significance.	1/2		I				
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Requirements for research in depth in support of NIS studies, or specific projects in progress in components of the IAC, which involve exploitation of back issues of pertinent publications accessioned in CIA and departmental libraries.	2 1/2		I				
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Organizational studies on ministries, etc.	1	I	I				
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<u>RUMANIA</u>							
Requirements for more complete exploitation of Rumanian industrial and scientific information.	1		X				X
Requirements for collection of graphics items, which in the case of Rumania, constitute the main source of some types of documentary information.	1		X				
Research in depth in support of NIS studies, or in support of specific projects in progress in components of the intelligence community.	<u>1</u>	<u>—</u>	<u>X</u>	<u>—</u>	<u>—</u>	<u>—</u>	<u>—</u>
Total Eastern Europe	24	7	20	3	5		7

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	<u>USSR</u>						
	<u>Manpower</u> <u>Needed</u>	<u>CIA</u>	<u>State</u>	<u>Army</u>	<u>Navy</u>	<u>Air</u>	<u>NSA</u>
I. POLITICAL							
✓ A. Actual functioning of the party and government on the lower and local levels.	1		X				X
✓ B. Information on important current developments in support of US participation in international conferences.							
C. Minority nationalities, religions, and other groups; attitude to and treatment by the regime; susceptibility to propaganda; subversive and escape-and-evasion utility to the West.	1		X		X		X
II. SOCIOLOGICAL							
A. Education. Extension of coverage on graduate study program and research at higher educational institutions.	1		X		X		X
III. BIOGRAPHIC							
A. Extension of source coverage to major political journals, scientific journals, and specialized newspapers.	1	X	X		1		X
B. Extension of categories of personalities to include other selected oblast-level party and government officials.	6						X

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IV. MILITARY							
A. Extension of coverage (source and subject matter). Military press has "opened up" somewhat, and more information now available from non-military press.	2	X		X	X		X
V. ECONOMIC							
A. Analysis of Soviet economic and technical literature.	2				X		X
B. Exploitation of new monographs on machine tool building.	1						
C. More complete exploitation of periodicals on industrial equipment.	1						X
D. Deeper coverage of presently-used sources in certain industrial fields, notably on precision instruments, heavy presses and forging machinery.							
E. Progress on key commodities: follow through the years, after research for background and establishing base year for figures, the progress on such key commodities as iron and steel, coal, petroleum, electric power, etc.	1/2		X				X
F. Expanded graphic program.	1						
G. Expansion on the coverage of productivity, prices, and wages.	3		X				X
H. Regional studies for selected industries (e. g., electric power).	1						X
I. Industrial enterprise studies: individual plant studies of the larger ones, and collective studies of smaller plants grouped by type of output.	1						X

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VI. GEOGRAPHIC							
A. Reports on regions of special current intelligence interest, such as reported atomic energy centers, missile launching sights, border regions, etc.	<u>1/2</u>	<u>—</u>	<u>—</u>	<u>—</u>	<u>X</u>		<u>X</u>
Total USSR (non-scientific and technical)	23	2	6	1	6		13

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USSR
Scientific and Technical

	<u>Manpower</u> <u>Needed</u>	<u>CIA</u>	<u>State</u>	<u>Required by</u>				
				<u>Army</u>	<u>Navy</u>	<u>Air</u>	<u>NSA</u>	
1. Abstracting of nine newly-published Soviet scientific periodicals.	2					I	I	
2. Abstracting of forty-three Soviet scientific periodical titles on which abstracting was requested by two or more IAC components.	6					I	I	
3. Exploitation of seventeen newly-published and newly-received Soviet scientific periodical titles from which information is required for scheduled reports or spot reporting.	2					I	I	
4. Exploitation of Russian books and monographs amounting to approximately 1000 items per year, from which information is required.	<u>1</u>						<u>I</u>	
Total USSR, Scientific and Technical	11					3	4	

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Required by

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CHINA1. Agriculture

Land, cultivated area, "new land," reclamation, utilization.	1/2		Y			
Socialization of agriculture	1		Y			
Agricultural Techniques (mechan- ization, pest control, fertilizing, education and training, soil studies, experimental farms, seed selection, etc.)	3/4		Y			
Crop Production	1/2		X			
Forestry	1/2		Y			
Fishing	1/4		Y		Y	
Animal Husbandry	1/4		Y			
Food Processing	1/4		X			

2. Industrial Production

Capital Construction	1		Y			Y
Machinery, machine tools, ship- building, transportation and agricultural equipment, etc.	1		Y		Y	Y
Iron, steel, and other metals production	1		Y			Y
Building materials	1		Y			Y
Consumer goods	1		Y			Y
Industrial Management	1		Y			
Organization of Industry (below ministerial level)	1		Y		Y	Y

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3. <u>Transportation and Communications</u>							
Technical Aspects of Railroading	1		X		X		X
Highway Transportation	3/4		X		X		X
Air Transportation	1/4		X		X		
Inland and Sea Transportation, Ports & Harbors	1		X		X		X
4. <u>Geographic</u>	1				X		X
5. <u>Mines and Minerals</u>	1		X		X		X
6. <u>Power Projects</u>	1/4		X		X		X
7. <u>Water Conservation</u> (irrigation, drought, and flood control, etc.)	1/4		X				X
8. <u>Trade and Finance</u>							
Domestic Trade	1/2		X		X		X
Foreign Trade	1/2		X		X		X
Banking and Credit Institutions	1		X				X
Budgets	1		X		X		
Prices	1/2		X				X
Cooperatives	1/2		X				X
9. <u>Political</u>							
Governmental Structure	1	X	X		X		X
Organization & Activities of the CCP	1/2	X			X		X
Minorities & Border Regions (political)	1/4	X					X
Foreign Relations	1/2	X	X		X		
Ideological Material	1	X	X		X		

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Military	1/2	X		X	X		
Education	1				X		
Health and Welfare							
Biographic	1	X	X		X		X
<u>Indonesia</u>							
Political	1	X					X
Economic	1	X					
<u>Overseas Chinese</u>							
Political							
Sociological							
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<u>North Korea</u>							
Political and Economic	1	X	X		X		
<u>South Korea</u>							
<u>Indochina</u>							
<u>North Viet Nam</u>							
Political	1	X	X		X		X
Economic	1/2	X	X		X		X
Sociological	1/2		X				
Biographic & Graphic	1/2						X

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<u>South Viet Nam</u>	3 1/2						
<u>Laos</u>							
<u>Cambodia</u>							
<u>Burma</u>	3	1					1
<u>Thailand</u>	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Total Far East	38 1/4	13	36	1	23	6	22